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Remaining Disposal Capacity and Site Life Calculations West Pasco Class III Landfill

Reporting Year 2022

July 2023

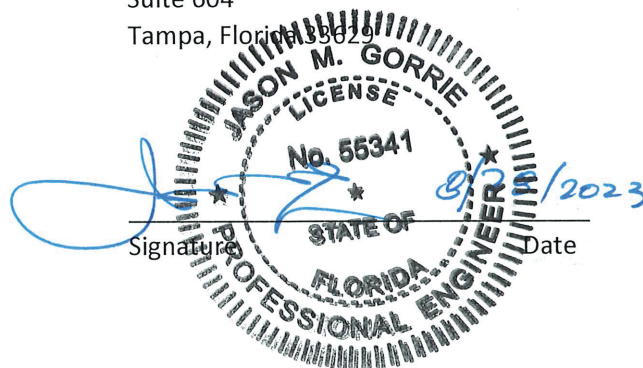


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Purpose of Report

Rule 62-701.500(13)(c) of the Florida Administrative Code (FAC) requires landfill owners and operators to annually prepare an estimate of the remaining life and capacity (in cubic yards) of the existing, constructed landfill and an annual estimate of the life and capacity of other permitted areas not yet constructed. For the purposes of this report, the “existing, constructed landfill” is considered to be the currently active portions of the site designated as Class III (subcells 1, 2, 3, and 4 of 4). The Class I portions of the West Pasco Resource Recovery Facility Landfill are addressed in a separate Report.

Procedure

The currently permitted capacity of the Class III Landfill is considered to be 422,000 cubic yards¹. In order to estimate the current volume of waste in place in subcells 1, 2, 3, and 4 the Pasco County Engineering Services Department conducted a topographic survey of Class III landfill in January 2023. The topographic contours identified through the survey are included as **Attachment 1**.

Using the elevations reported on the topographic survey in conjunction with the assumed elevations of the liner system, it is possible to estimate the volume of waste in place in the landfill. Mathematically, the volume under a function is defined by the double integral:

$$\int_{x-\min}^{x-\max} \int_{y-\min}^{y-\max} f(x, y) dx dy$$

To determine the function $f(x, y)$ defining the shape of the landfill surfaces, JMG Engineering relied upon the volume calculation algorithms of the surface mapping software program Autodesk Civil 3D. The total volume of waste calculated to be currently in place in the Class III Landfill is approximately 272,000 cubic yards.

Given the permitted volumetric capacity of 422,000 cubic yards and subtracting the 272,000 cubic yards calculated from the January 2023 survey to be currently in place, approximately 150,000 cubic yards of airspace remains available for disposal. Compacted construction and demolition debris waste has an approximate density of 1,200 pounds per cubic yard. Using the assumed density, the 150,000 remaining cubic yards can accommodate approximately 90,000 tons of construction and demolition debris.

As shown in Table 1, the Class III waste disposal rate has varied from year to year. However, because the tipping fee charged by Pasco County to use the Class III cells is considerably higher than that of nearby private Class III landfills, it is safe to assume that the annual waste placement rate will not differ significantly from approximately 4,000 tons/year (6,667 cubic yards/year). Using this as a future disposal rate along with an estimated 10% weekly cover rate (667 cubic yards/year) results in an estimated future airspace consumption rate of 7,333 cubic yards per year. Dividing the remaining airspace of

¹ Previous useful life estimates assumed 487,904 cubic yards of available capacity. A recalculation using the dimensions from the 1989 Construction Drawings using Autocad Civil 3D suggests that the available capacity is actually 422,000 cubic yards.

150,000 cubic yards by the estimated future consumption rate of 7,333 cubic yards per year results in **an estimated remaining life of 20 years.**

TABLE 1
Monthly Tonnage Summary for 2022

Month	West Pasco Class III (tons)
January	372
February	453
March	561
April	458
May	409
June	444
July	362
August	365
September	371
October	443
November	369
December	335
Total	4,942

Historical Tonnage Summary

2012	2,822
2013	3,206
2014	4,433
2015	4,125
2016	3,094
2017	3,227
2018	3,114
2019	3,896
2020	4,149
2021	4,867

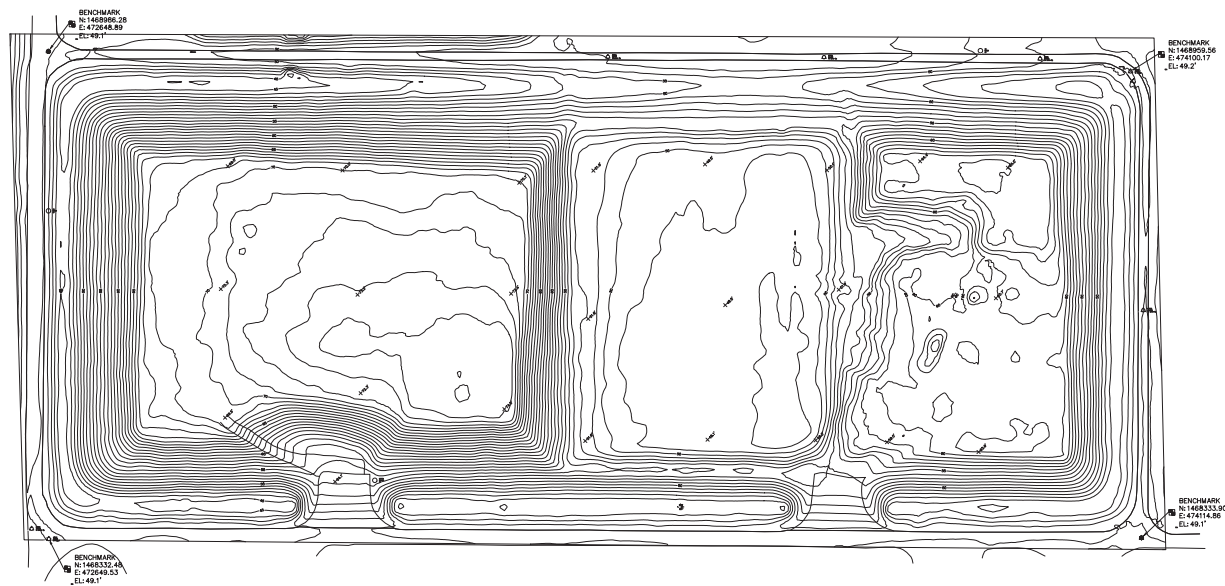
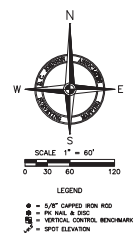
Attachments

Attachment 1: Topographical Contours

Attachment 2: Volume Calculation Report

ATTACHMENT 1
Landfill Contours

- Use of this survey for purposes other than intended, without written verification, will be at the user's sole risk and without liability to the surveyor. Nothing herein shall be construed as a warranty or representation by the surveyor.
- This survey was prepared under contract number 68-0306A-C-008, awarded to the Florida Department of Land Surveying by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Fort Belvoir, St. Louis, Missouri, dated 5-17-1968 (Florida Administrative Code).
- This survey was prepared without an abstract of title; therefore the undersigned makes no claim of ownership or right of possession, nor does he warrant against any claims, easements, rights-of-way, setback lines, agreements, reservations, or other similar matters.
- No instruments of record reflecting encroachments, right-of-ways and/or easements were located.
- No underground installations, improvements or encroachments have been located except those shown hereon.
- Easement based upon North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (NAVD88), National Geospatial Survey Reference: C 697, located at Hays Road, published elevation = 48.47' (NAVD88).
- Coordinate system hereon is determined to the Florida State Plane Coordinate System, NAD 83, FPLM projection.
- Topographic Data shown hereon was surveyed by the aerial LIDAR scan provided by Bowman Engineering Inc., 10000 E. Highway 10, Suite 100, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33324.

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ATTACHMENT 2
Civil 3D® Cut/Fill Report

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Volume Summary							
Name	Type	Cut Factor	Fill Factor	2d Area (Sq. Ft.)	Cut (Cu. Yd.)	Fill (Cu. Yd.)	Net (Cu. Yd.)
CLASS III VOLUME (1)	full	1.000	1.000	782266.88	7113.99	279125.69	272011.70<Fill>

Totals				
	2d Area (Sq. Ft.)	Cut (Cu. Yd.)	Fill (Cu. Yd.)	Net (Cu. Yd.)
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* Value adjusted by cut or fill factor other than 1.0